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MEMORANDUM FOR:

DDCI

SUBJECT

IC Staff Activities During Your Absence

1. NSCIC Meeting Scheduled for Friday, 16 August, at 1000

The DCI plans to seek NSCIC comments and reaction to the list of Key Intelligence Questions for FY 1975 approved by USIB on 2 August and his Perspectives for Intelligence, 1975-1980, and to brief the members on resource trends and decisions on the National Foreign Intelligence Program. Briefing books covering these and other topics of current interest to Mr. Colby have been sent to Richard Ober for distribution to the NSCIC members prior to the meeting. copy of the agenda is attached for your information, together with such of the talking papers as have not been provided to you via other channels.

## 3. Cyprus Post-Mortem

The IC Staff will undertake a post-mortem on the Cyprus The DCI wants the study to be sensitive to how the process worked wherein negotiations between US policy

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interests and parties concerned was largely telephonic and highly centralized. The study will focus on the systems of how to insure intelligence inputs in conditions of this kind. Interviews have been or are now being conducted with the de facto NIO during the crisis, the DCI, and several members of the NSC Staff, Sisco, et al.

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